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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the requirements of 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants hereby submit the prior art listed hereinbelow, copies enclosed, which prior art was cited in the International Search Report of related PCT Application No. PCT/US2004/035010.

- (1) JP 2001-118591, entitled,

HIGH DURABILITY SOLID POLYMER ELECTROLYTE, By Morimoto Tomo et al., published April 27, 2001. The abstract is attached hereto.

- (2) U.S. Patent No. 4,438,216 entitled PROCESS FOR

IMPROVED ACTIVATED CARBON HAVING AN ALUMINUM-HEAVY METAL SPINEL, By Dennis J. Kampe et al., patented March 20, 1984. The abstract is attached hereto.

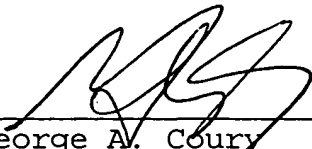
- (3) U.S. Patent No. 6,335,112 entitled SOLID POLYMER ELECTROLYTE FUEL CELL, By Michio Asukabe, et al., patented January 1, 2002. The abstract is attached hereto.
- (4) U.S. Patent Publication 2003/0008196A1, publication date January 9, 2003 entitled FUEL CELL, By Wessel et al. The abstract is attached hereto.
- (5) U.S. Patent Publication 2003/0059664A1, publication date March 27, 2003 entitled REGENERATIVE BIPOLAR FUEL CELL, By Menjak et al. The abstract is attached hereto.

The undersigned hereby certifies that each item contained in this information disclosure statement was first cited in the international search report issued on March 29, 2005.

The undersigned submits the above-identified references for independent consideration by the Examiner and does not make any admission that these references are or are not material to the present invention or that these references are or are not prior art with respect to the present invention.

Respectfully submitted,

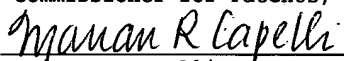
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